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Applicant: Stephen R. Welch

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For: Method And Apparatus For
Forming A Binder Cover And
A Ring CoverPATENT APPLICATION

Examiner M. T. Henderson

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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action dated December 20, 2002.

This Amendment is filed in conjunction with a Petition to Revive an application that was held abandoned due to failing to timely reply to the aforementioned Official Action. The failure to reply was unintentional as set forth in said Petition.

Please take the following action with respect to the claims in this case in accordance with the new procedure.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being forwarded with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to MAIL STOP PETITION, Commissioner of Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, on September 30, 2003.

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